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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
Hikaru YOSHITAKA ) Group Art Unit: 2812  
Application No.: 09/658,861 ) Examiner: Nguyen, H.  
Filed: September 8, 2000 )  
For: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND )  
METHOD OF MANUFACTURING )  
THE SAME )

Commission for Patents  
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Sir:

**AMENDMENT**

In reply to the Office Action dated October 24, 2003 please amend the application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

**Remarks** following the amendments section of this paper.

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